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WE BELIEVE THAT SECGEN ELEKDAG IN HIS MARCH 17 CONVERSATION WITH THE AMBASSADOR (REFTEL) ACCURATELY REPORTED TURKISH GENERAL STAFF VIEW THAT TURKISH MILITARY HAVE NEITHER THE PERSONNEL NOR THE FUNDS TO OPERATE THE KARAMURSEL SI FACILITIES. ON THE OTHER HAND, WE BELIEVE THE DEMIREL GOVERNMENT WILL PROBABLY VIEW CLOSURE OF THIS LARGE INSTALLATION AS A DEFINITE PUBLIC RELATIONS ASSET IN SELLING THE NEW DEFENSE COOPERATION AGREEMENT. FOR THIS REASON IT SHOULD BE LEFT IN THE SUPPLEMENTARY ASSISTANCE PACKAGE.
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